

**PATENT APPLICATION**

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CUSTOMER NUMBER 25944

In re the Application of

Izuo AOKI et al.

Application No.: 09/486,981

Filed: February 28, 2000

For: MOLECULAR COMPOUNDS CONTAINING PHENOL DERIVATIVES AS CONSTITUENT

Commissioner for Patents  
 P.O. Box 1450  
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☐ Entitlement to small entity status is hereby asserted.  
☐ Small entity status of this application has been established.

Any additional claim fees have been calculated as shown below:

	(Column 1)	(Column 2)	(Column 3)	SMALL ENTITY			OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY	
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADD'L FEE	OR	RATE	ADD'L FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	*14 MINUS	** 24	= 0	x 26	\$		x 52	\$
INDEP CLAIMS	* 8 MINUS	*** 4	= 4	x 110	\$		x 220	\$ 880
<input type="checkbox"/> FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM				+ 195	\$	OR	+ 390	\$
					\$			\$ 880

- \* If the entry in Column 1 is less than the entry in Column 2, write "0" in Column 3.  
 \*\* If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, write "20" in this space.  
 \*\*\* If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 3, write "3" in this space.  
 The "Highest Number Previously Paid For" in this space (Total or Independent) is the highest number found from the equivalent box in Column 1 of a prior Amendment or the number of claims originally filed.  
☒ Check No. 231223 in the amount of \$880.00 is attached. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees that may be required to complete this filing, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 15-0461.

Respectfully submitted,

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